

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO**

MATTHEW P. M.,

Plaintiff,

v.

No. 1:25-cv-00232-KRS

LELAND DUDEK,¹

Acting Commissioner of the Social Security Administration,

Defendant.

ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS*

THIS MATTER comes before the Court upon Plaintiff's Motion to Proceed In Forma Pauperis. (Doc. 2). Having reviewed the Motion, the Court **FINDS** that Plaintiff's request is well-taken and should be **GRANTED**.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Plaintiff's Motion to Proceed In Forma Pauperis, (Doc. 2), is **GRANTED**. Plaintiff may proceed in this action without payment of a filing fee, costs, or security therefor.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk is hereby directed to transmit the required Notice pursuant to Rule 3 of the Supplemental Rules for Social Security Actions under 42 U.S.C. 405(g).

IT IS SO ORDERED this 7th day of March, 2025.



KEVIN R. SWEAZE
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

¹ Leland Dudek became the Acting Commissioner of Social Security on February 16, 2025. Pursuant to Rule 25(d) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Leland Dudek should be substituted for Michelle King as the defendant in this suit. No further action need be taken to continue this suit by reason of the last sentence of section 205(g) of the Social Security Act, 42 U.S.C. § 405(g).